Application No. 10/689,302

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Remarks

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The Applicants submit that the claims are in a condition for allowance and action toward that end is earnestly solicited. No fees are currently believed due. However, should any additional fees be required now or during the pendency of this application (except for payment of the issue fee), the Commissioner is authorized to deduct the fees from or credit any overpayment to Nixon Peabody LLP Deposit Account No. 50-4181, Order No. 47171-00252USPT.

Respectfully submitted,

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